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IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS AND IMAGE CORRECTION METHOD

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BILDERZEUGUNGSVORRICHTUNG UND BILDKORREKTURVERFAHREN

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APPAREIL DE FORMATION D'IMAGES ET PROCÉDÉ DE CORRECTION D'IMAGES

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Abstract (en)

An image forming apparatus comprises a first temperature detector to detect a temperature of a first portion of an optical scanning device in a printer. The first portion is proximate to a heat generating element in the optical scanning device. A second temperature detector is provided to detect a temperature of a second portion of the optical scanning device, which is farther from the heat generating element than the first portion. A controller is configured to perform alignment control for correcting a color positional shift of the printer when either a detected temperature change of the first portion is greater than or equal to a first threshold value or a detected temperature change of the second portion is greater than or equal to a second threshold value.

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